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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Southwestern Division (SWD) Logistics Training Workshop, 20-22 Aug 02

1. The SWD Logistics Training Workshop scheduled for 20-22 Aug 02, at the Omni Hotel, Corpus Christi, Texas. We stress that the success of this training workshop depends on your participation. We are delighted that the SWD Commander and Deputy Commander plan to attend and speak to our group. We stress that the success of this training workshop depends on your participation. We are delighted that the SWD Commander and Deputy Commander plan to attend and speak to our group.

2. The theme is *"Becoming the logisticians of choice - enabling us to respond to our nation's needs in peace and war."* We will focus on three areas:

a. The Corps' new military response role as envisioned in the Field Force Engineering (FFE) concept as part of the Army transformation. Specifically, the organization and maintenance of division-based Logistics Support Teams, who augment logistics personnel resource requirements in support of FFE and Forward Engineer Support Teams (FEST).

b. The Corps' logistics support mission during national disasters by our Logistics Planning and Response Teams (LPRT). LPRT's provide logistics support to civil emergency response operations to include Presidential disaster declarations, and numerous state and local emergencies.

c. Our day-to-day logistics operations in the areas of facility, maintenance, supply, and transportation management, and discussion on how to improve our service to our customers in a manner that assures all material, resources and services are delivered by the most cost effective means and in a timely manner to fully satisfy our customers desires.

3. A major feature of the training workshop will involve all participants in reviewing SWD logistics policies in each functional area to determine what is working and what needs to be changed to facilitate improved support to the field. Our goal is to generate ideas for the changes that will transform our policies into value added innovative approaches for improving and streamlining business processes. We encourage you to share this information with your counterparts and those who will benefit from this training. Detailed information concerning the hotel and conference site is at enclosure 1. Request attendees complete the registration form at enclosure 2. Detailed conference agenda is at enclosure 3.

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4. Points of contact (POC) are Lori Moseley, CESWF-LO, (817) 886-1039 or Rose Dawson, CESWF-LO, (817) 886-1002.

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